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Pricing for the 2005-2006 School Year

DLC Membership: $6 per student (based on Oct. 2004 enrollment)

Digital Library (included in membership)

Membership includes access to a world-class digital library featuring five subscription databases, available anytime, anywhere. Purchased outside of the DLC, these resources would cost $20.44 per pupil.

Professional Development (included in membership)

Integrate DLC resources into your school with a variety of professional development opportunities for your staff.

Access to Online Courses (average $310 per semester-long high school course)

Give students access to more than 300 high-quality classes in a broad range of subject areas offered by some of the country's best online course providers. Save $20-$100 per course by purchasing through the DLC. Students in online courses have an online mentor for subject-area assistance in their courses, help in the use of the DLC Library resources, and guidance in their post-high school planning.

Course Credit Funds (included in membership for public schools)

Every school will receive $2,000 - $6,000 in Course Credit Funds to be applied to online course costs. This credit allows your school to start purchasing courses without an additional payment. If you'd like more courses, just pay as you go. See the "Payment Information" section for more details on course payments.

Note that the exact amount of Course Credit Funds given to each school will depend on the size of the school, WASL scores, graduation rate, and the percentage of students receiving Free and Reduced Lunch.

Apex Learning Math ClassTools and English ClassTools (included in membership)

Enhance existing classes with these online resources, activities, and diagnostics. Compare to $30 per account for non-DLC Members.

Catalyst Digital Tools (included in membership)

These easy-to-use online tools help students and educators create portfolios, collaborate on projects, and build online communities. Catalyst is only available through the DLC.

Additional Resources Available to DLC Members:

ECOS – Education and Career Opportunities System: $0.88 per student (Oct. 2004 enrollment)

ECOS puts college and career information in the hands of your students, plus SAT/ACT preparation from the Princeton Review. Save between $0.75 and $3.00 per student as a DLC Member.

WOIS / The Career Information System: $0.75 per student (Oct. 2004 enrollment)

WOIS offers college and career information, with a Washington state focus. DLC Members pay the reduced rate of $0.75 per student. *Middle schools* can purchase either the WOIS Middle School product (with a lower reading level) for $0.75 per student with a maximum of $250 per school or the WOIS High School product for $0.75 per student, maximum of $625 per school.

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Example School Fees and Course Credit Funds

Students	DLC Membership Fees	Course Credit Funds
100	$600	$2,000 - $3,000
500	$3,000	$3,000 - $5,000
1,000	$6,000	$3,000 - $5,000
1,500	$9,000	$4,000 - $6,000

Note: The final Course Credit Fund amount will vary by school based on size of the school, WASL scores, graduation rate, and the percentage of students receiving Free and Reduced Lunch. Average amounts will be between $2,000 and $6,000 per year.

Three Options for Joining

Option #1: Join before April 15

Schools that join by April 15th will be able to start registration for students in online courses on May 2nd. Prior to the start of registration, we'll inform schools of the exact amount of Course Credit Funds they'll be able to use during the school year. These schools will also be able to take advantage of a variety of professional development services during the rest of this school year, including introductory trainings, online/phone trainings, and phone or in-person consultations.

Option #2: Join between April 16 and August 19

These schools will be able to start registering students for online courses approximately two weeks following the join date. The DLC will allocate the $2,000 minimum Course Credit Funds amount to schools for registration period opening on May 2nd. Schools that join during this period will receive the full Course Credit Funds allotment, and we'll communicate the exact amount after August 19. These schools will also be able to participate in introductory trainings and other professional development opportunities.

Option #3: Join between August 20 and November 15

School joining in this period will be able to register students for second semester courses starting in December. These schools will receive a pro-rated amount of Course Credit Funds. Professional development opportunities will also be available.

Join Now

Step 1: Membership Form

Complete a short membership form at http://www.learningcommons.org/about/join/. You will be able to indicate the additional resources you'd like to add to your DLC Membership at this point.

Step 2: Down Payment

Send a non-refundable down payment to: Digital Learning Commons, 4507 University Way NE, Suite 204, Seattle, WA 98105. See below for more details on the down payment.

Questions? Learn more at http://www.learningcommons.org/about/join/

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Payment Information

Down Payment (up to $500)

The DLC will invoice you for a down payment upon completion of the online membership form. The down payment rate is 50% of your school's DLC Membership Fees (student enrollment x $6), up to $500. The down payment is non-refundable.

Examples:

Students	DLC Membership Fees	Down Payment
100	$600	$300
500	$3,000	$500
1,000	$6,000	$500
1,500	$9,000	$500

DLC Membership Fees ($6 per student)

Your school's total DLC Membership Fees will be calculated based on your school's October 2004 enrollment, plus any charges for additional resources. The down payment will be deducted from the total amount. You will be invoiced in May, and have the option to use funds from the current fiscal year or the next fiscal year. The full amount must be paid by September 30, 2005.

Please note that the $6 per student rate is contingent upon the final DLC allocation in the State of Washington budget. The DLC will make every effort to maintain the $6 per student figure, and will notify you if there are any changes in pricing.

Online Course Costs

The DLC will invoice your school for any online course costs above and beyond your school's allocated Course Credit Funds. Those invoices will arrive in late September 2005 for first semester and mid February 2006 for second semester.

Middle Schools

The Digital Learning Commons now welcomes any interested middle school to join us for the 2005-2006 school year.